

October 14, 1922

Mrs. Alexander Graham Bell
Beinn Bhreagh, near Baddeck,
Nova Scotia.

Dear Mrs. Bell:

I have been out of town a good deal of the time for the last month, and now am just starting off on a six weeks Lincoln trip in Virginia, Kentucky and Indiana. Altogether, I have been prevented from making all the inquiries that I should like to have made in regard to possible writers and publishers for a life of Mr. Bell.

No suggestion for a writer has yet come to me that seems to me the best possible. I have asked Mr. Phillips, whom, I am sure, you remember - Mr. McClure's old partner - who is closely in touch with writers and publishers and who would be doubly interested in seeing the best kind of a life of Mr. Bell for general circulation written, to look about and see if, in my absence, he can pick up any information that would be really helpful to you and the family.

You may be sure, dear Mrs. Bell, that I shall have this matter very much at heart. Nothing would please me better than to help you to the best possible solution.

With much love to you all, believe me

Faithfully yours,